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Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Dear Secretary Salas:

Re: ET Docket No. 00-258, FCC 00-455

Front Range Community College would like to support the position that the bands of spectrum being used by the instructional television fixed service (ITFS) remain assigned to the current users.

Distance learning is the fastest growing section of our college and many other institutions in our state. By using the ITFS spectrum to deliver instruction to our residents, we are able to reach many people who (1) do not have a college in their area to attend in person, or (2) are unable physically to come to our campuses.

The loss of this technology would disenfranchise these audiences. As the largest public education provider of distance learning in Colorado, we would encourage you to use other bands of spectrum for the development of advanced wireless services.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Thomas Gonzales

President

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